

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

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7.(Currently Amended) A low-temperature-stabilized solution ~~of comprising~~
~~an additive as claimed in claim 1 in an organic solvent, where the solution comprises~~
from 1 to 80% by weight of an organic solvent and a low-temperature-stabilized
additive comprising: as claimed in claim 1.

A) a fatty acid mixture of

A1) from 1 to 99% by weight of at least one saturated mono- or
dicarboxylic acid having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms,

A2) from 1 to 99% by weight of at least one unsaturated mono- or
dicarboxylic acid having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms

and

B) at least one polar nitrogen-containing compound which is effective as paraffin
dispersant in middle distillates, in an amount of from 0.01 to 90% by weight,
based on the total weight of A1), A2) and B),

wherein the fatty acid mixture of A1) and A2) has an iodine number of at least 40 g
of I / 100 g.

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10.(Currently Amended) A fuel oil comprising, ~~besides~~ a middle distillate having a sulfur content of up to 0.05% by weight, and ~~as~~ a low-temperature-stabilized additive comprising: ~~as claimed in claim 1.~~

A) a fatty acid mixture of

A1) from 1 to 99% by weight of at least one saturated mono- or dicarboxylic acid having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms,

A2) from 1 to 99% by weight of at least one unsaturated mono- or dicarboxylic acid having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms
and

B) at least one polar nitrogen-containing compound which is effective as paraffin dispersant in middle distillates, in an amount of from 0.01 to 90% by weight, based on the total weight of A1), A2) and B),

wherein the fatty acid mixture of A1) and A2) has an iodine number of at least 40 g of I / 100 g.

11.(Currently Amended) A method ~~The use of an additive as claimed in claim 1~~ for improving the lubrication properties of low-sulfur middle distillates having a sulfur content of up to 0.05% by weight, said method comprising adding to said low-sulfur middle distillates an additive comprising:

A) a fatty acid mixture of

A1) from 1 to 99% by weight of at least one saturated mono- or dicarboxylic acid having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms,

A2) from 1 to 99% by weight of at least one unsaturated mono- or dicarboxylic acid having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms, and

B) at least one polar nitrogen-containing compound which is effective as paraffin dispersant in middle distillates, in an amount of from 0.01 to 90% by weight, based on the total weight of A1), A2) and B),

wherein the fatty acid mixture of A1) and A2) has an iodine number of at least 40 g of I / 100 g.

12.(New) The method of claim 11, wherein the additive further comprises an organic solvent selected from the group consisting of aliphatic hydrocarbon, aromatic hydrocarbon, oxygen-containing hydrocarbon, and mixtures thereof.

13.(New) The method of claim 11, wherein component B comprises oil-soluble polar amine salts or amides.

14.(New) The method of claim 11, wherein component A) comprises from 1 to 40% by weight of resin acids.

15.(New) The method of claim 11, wherein component A) comprises from 1 to less than 20% by weight of A1) and from greater than 80 to 95% by weight of A2).

16.(New) The method of claim 11, wherein A1) and A2) are each a carboxylic acid having from 12 to 22 carbon atoms.

17.(New) The low-temperature-stabilized solution of claim 7, wherein the organic solvent selected from the group consisting of aliphatic hydrocarbon, aromatic hydrocarbon, oxygen-containing hydrocarbon, and mixtures thereof.